

The Labor Market Report

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November 2011 Data

Special Points of Interest:

- November is American Indian and Alaska Native Heritage month
- Tennessee Historical Civilian Labor Force Series, 1981 to Present
- County Unemployment Rates
- Civilian Labor Force Summary (All Areas)
- Hours and Earnings
- State Unemployment Insurance Activities
- Consumer Price Index

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American Indian and Alaska Native Heritage Month

Congress and the president designated November as American Indian and Alaska Native Heritage month. Red Fox James, a Blackfeet Indian, rode horseback from state to state, getting endorsements from 24 state governments, to have a day to honor American Indians. The first American Indian Day was celebrated in May 1916 in New York. In 1990, then President George H. W. Bush signed a joint congressional resolution designating National American Indian Heritage Month. Similar proclamations have been issued every year since 1994.

Most of the information for this article comes from the most recent census and surveys by the American Community Survey for the American Indian/Alaska Native only population. The population informa-

tion was only for those who reported a race alone or in combination with one or more races. American Indians and Alaska Natives are designated as one of the six major race categories in the U.S. Census.

There are 5.2 million people (1.7 percent of the total population) that are American Indian and Alaska Native only. This population group increased by 26.7 percent (1.1 million people) since the previous census compared with the overall U.S. population growth of 9.7 percent. Of this total, 2.9 million were American Indian and Alaska Native only, and 2.3 million were American Indian and Alaska Native in combination with one or more other races.

The states with the largest population are California (723,225), Oklahoma (482,760),

Arizona (353,386), Texas (345,264), New York (221,058), New Mexico (219,512), Washington (198,998), North Carolina (184,082), Florida (162,562), Michigan (139,095), Alaska (138,312), Oregon (109,223), Colorado (107,832), Minnesota (101,900), and Illinois (101,451).

The state with the highest percentage of American Indians and Alaska Natives is Alaska (19.5 percent) followed by Oklahoma (12.9 percent), New Mexico (10.7 percent), and South Dakota (10.1 percent). There are 565 federally recognized Indian tribes. The tribes with the largest population are Cherokee (819,105), Navajo (332,129), Choctaw (195,764), Mexican American Indian (175,494), Chippewa (170,742), Sioux (170,110), Apache

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(111,810), and Blackfeet (105,304). The American Indian areas include 334 federal American Indian reservations and/or off-reservation trust lands and 617 state or tribal designated statistical areas and reservations. This total excludes Hawaiian Homelands. Only 22 percent of all American Indians and Alaska Natives lived in American Indian areas or Alaska Native Village Statistical Areas.

Demographics

There are 557,185 American Indian and Alaska Native families of which 57 percent were married-couple families, including those with children. American Indian and Alaska Native households living in their own home totaled 54 percent compared with 65 percent of the overall population. Twenty-one percent of people in the U.S., older than five speak a language other than English at home compared to 28 percent of the American Indians and Alaska Natives population. In Arizona-New Mexico-Utah, 73 percent of the residents of the Navajo Nation Reservation and Off-Reservation Trust Land speak a language other than English at home.

Education & Income

The percentage of American Indians and Alaska Natives more than 25 years old with

any level educational degree compared unfavorably with the general U.S. population at that same level. Seventy-seven percent have a high school diploma or equivalent (compared to 86 percent) and 13 percent had a bachelor's degree or higher (compared with 28 percent). Only 41 percent of all American Indians and Alaska Natives who have a bachelor's degree have that degree in science, engineering, or related fields. The general population has a 44 percent rate. There are, however, 67,644 American Indians and Alaska Natives who have a graduate or professional degree.

There were 236,967 American Indians and Alaska Natives owned businesses, up 17.7 percent from 2002. These businesses accounted for \$34.4 billion in receipts, up 28 percent from 2002. Construction, retail trade, and wholesale trade industries accounted for 52.9 percent of these receipts. The largest industries owned by American Indians and Alaskan Natives were in construction, repair and maintenance, and personal laundry services. These accounted for 30.5 percent of all American Indian and Alaskan Native owned firms.

In the American Indian and Alaska Native population greater than 16-years old, 26 percent worked in management, business, science, and arts occupations; 25 percent worked in service occupations; and 24 percent worked in sales and office occupations. There are also 156,515 veterans of the U.S. armed forces.

The median income of American Indian and Alaska Native households was \$35,062, compared with \$50,046 for the nation as a whole. In 2010, 28.4 percent of American Indians and Alaskan Natives lived in poverty. For the nation as a whole, the corresponding rate was 15.3 percent. For the entire American Indian and Alaskan Native population, 29.2 percent had no health insurance coverage. The percentage for the nation as a whole was 15.5 percent.

Statewide

HISTORICAL CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

MONTHLY DATA NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

		Employed				Unemployed		
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Month	Total	ment	Total	facturing	**Trade	**Services	Number	(%)
1981	2,123.1	1,927.6	1,775.4	506.9	379.9	304.4	195.5	9.2 %
1982	2,141.2	1,891.5	1,703.0	466.7	380.5	313.1	249.7	11.7
1983	2,188.2	1,932.4	1,719.0	468.6	389.9	323.4	255.8	11.7
1984	2,233.5	2,026.4	1,812.0	497.1	413.3	344.3	207.1	9.3
1985	2,255.7	2,070.0	1,867.8	492.4	435.3	360.2	185.7	8.2
1986	2,291.3	2,110.7	1,929.8	490.5	452.1	384.7	180.6	7.9
1987	2,324.1	2,166.5	2,011.6	497.4	477.2	408.9	157.6	6.8
1988	2,333.6	2,197.2	2,092.1	511.9	495.6	440.3	136.4	5.8
1989	2,364.9	2,241.3	2,167.2	524.5	508.4	467.2	123.6	5.2
1990	2,401.1	2,269.0	2,193.2	493.4	379.1	611.0	132.1	5.5
1991	2,425.4	2,266.0	2,183.6	480.3	373.0	626.7	159.4	6.6
1992	2,479.5	2,316.7	2,245.0	492.8	374.1	664.8	162.8	6.6
1993	2,543.3	2,391.6	2,328.5	502.8	382.5	709.8	151.7	6.0
1994	2,645.7	2,511.1	2,423.0	513.8	398.4	751.4	134.6	5.1
1995	2,718.0	2,574.0	2,498.9	518.0	412.6	795.0	144.0	5.3
1996	2,758.4	2,611.0	2,533.3	501.5	420.9	814.3	147.4	5.3
1997	2,788.3	2,640.0	2,584.0	498.0	430.5	849.7	148.3	5.3
1998	2,811.7	2,685.2	2,638.4	498.6	437.1	875.7	126.5	4.5
1999	2,838.7	2,722.1	2,685.3	494.7	443.6	900.8	116.6	4.1
2000	2,871.5	2,756.5	2,728.9	488.1	447.5	930.9	115.0	4.0
2001	2,863.5	2,728.5	2,688.3	454.2	446.6	921.5	135.0	4.7
2002	2,867.1	2,715.0	2,664.4	428.5	438.7	938.0	152.1	5.3
2003	2,896.1	2,731.4	2,667.5	414.1	440.8	950.3	164.8	5.7
2004	2,906.9	2,748.6	2,706.1	411.8	447.5	978.7	158.3	5.4
2005	2,938.9	2,775.6	2,743.1	408.8	454.6	1,005.6	163.3	5.6
2006	3,008.9	2,852.5	2,783.1	400.1	460.6	1,030.4	156.4	5.2
2007	3,021.5	2,874.2	2,797.4	380.0	463.5	1,052.8	147.3	4.9
2008	3,056.1	2,854.5	2,774.8	361.0	457.0	1,058.2	201.6	6.6
2009	3,020.0	2,703.0	2,619.9	309.2	427.8	1,025.3	317.0	10.5
2010	3,056.7	2,759.2	2,612.5	297.8	423.9	1,039.9	297.5	9.7
2011								
January	3,053.5	2,742.7	2,581.6	293.8	418.8	1,021.9	310.8	10.2 %
February	3,075.7	2,764.2	2,597.5	294.6	416.5	1,032.6	311.6	10.1
March	3,092.5	2,798.8	2,613.3	296.1	419.8	1,040.5	293.7	9.5
April	3,113.4	2,815.5	2,632.6	298.5	423.1	1,053.6	297.9	9.6
May	3,133.8	2,837.2	2,642.1	300.6	422.9	1,060.2	296.5	9.5
June	3,165.8	2,843.3	2,621.1	301.7	424.0	1,065.4	322.5	10.2
July	3,143.8	2,841.8	2,619.3	302.6	422.8	1,062.6	302.0	9.6
August	3,129.8	2,829.1	2,640.1	300.8	420.0	1,069.4	300.7	9.6
September	3,128.8	2,825.5	2,655.8	302.4	417.2	1,067.1	303.3	9.7
October (r)	3,124.8	2,847.9	2,667.1	302.7	417.7	1,069.9	276.9	8.9
November (p)	3,118.8	2,856.4	2,685.5	302.4	425.2	1,076.7	262.5	8.4
December			l	1				

Civilian Labor Force

(r)=revised

(p)=preliminary

Trade = Wholesale and Retail Trade

 $\hbox{\tt **These industries not comparable to industry employment data before}$

1990 because of changes to NAICS coding system.

Services = Professional/Business Services, Educational/Health Services,

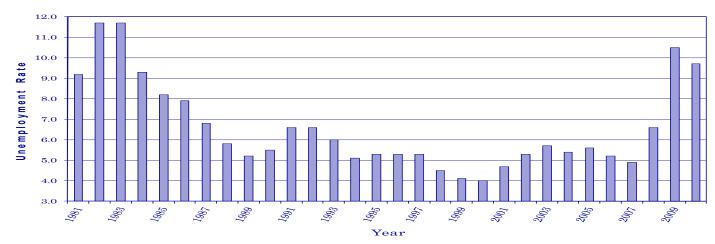
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UNEMPLOYMENT RATES BY COUNTY*

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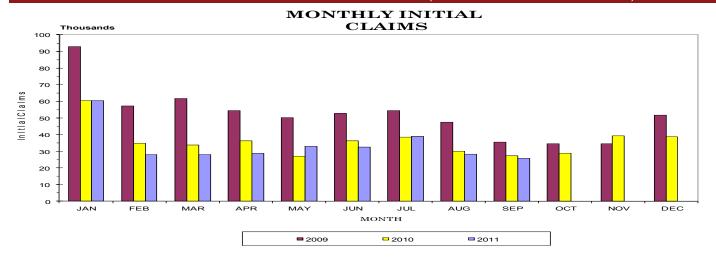
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County	2010	2011
Lauderdale	14.8	12.7
Lawrence	13.2	11.3
Lewis	13.6	10.9
Lincoln	6.0	5.6
Loudon	8.1	7.2
Macon	9.4	8.4
Madison	9.4	9.0
Marion	9.7	9.7
Marshall	15.7	12.8
Maury	13.9	11.1
McMinn	12.0	10.5
McNairy	11.5	9.6
Meigs	12.2	11.3
Monroe	13.0	11.8
Montgomery	9.6	9.0
Moore	8.4	7.2
Morgan	9.9	9.4
Obion	9.5	15.2
Overton	9.7	8.4
Perry	14.2	12.3
Pickett	14.8	14.5
Polk	12.1	12.7
Putnam	8.5	7.6
Rhea	11.9	12.1
Roane	7.5	7.3
Robertson	8.2	7.4
Rutherford	8.1	7.1
Scott	19.0	17.6
Sequatchie	9.1	9.0
Sevier	9.2	8.4
Shelby	9.9	9.4
Smith	7.9	7.9
Stewart	11.5	10.1
Sullivan	7.7	7.1
Sumner	8.2	7.3
Tipton	10.7	9.3
Trousdale	9.6	9.0
Unicoi	9.7	8.5
Union	9.1	9.1
Van Buren	11.7	10.0
Warren	10.7	10.0
Washington	7.7	6.9
Wayne	11.7	10.5
Weakley	10.9	12.4
White	11.3	10.1
Williamson	6.5	5.8
Wilson	6.8	7.0
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Unemployment Rates 1981-2010



Statewide

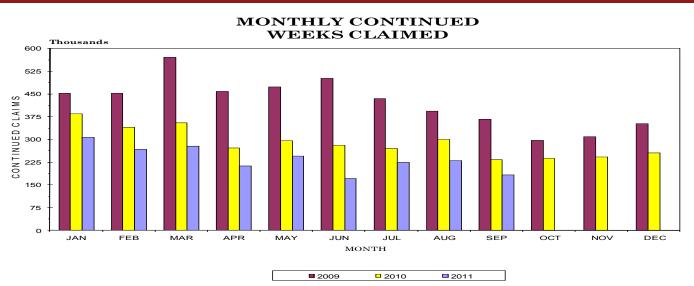
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACTIVITIES (MOST RECENT AVAILABLE)



BENEFIT PROGRAMS — SEPTEMBER 2011

STATE BENEFIT PROGRAM				FEDERAL BENEFIT PROGRAMS				
CLAIMS	Sept. 2010	Aug. 2011	Sept. 2011	FORMER FEDERAL EMPLOYER	ES Sept. 2010	Aug. 2011	Sept. 2011	
Initial Claims	27,200	28,406	25,704	Benefits Paid	\$400,349	\$449,528	\$376,790	
Continued Weeks Claimed	232,784	230,026	183,491	Benefit Weeks Claimed	1,417	1,541	1,276	
Nonmonetary Determinations	8,134	9,678	8,328	Initial Claims	170	143	100	
Appeals Decisions	3,073	3,049	2,654	Continued Weeks Claimed	1,542	1,458	1,266	
Lower Authority	2,434	2,488	2,157	Appeals Decisions	8	22	10	
Higher Authority	639	561	497					
BENEFITS				FORMER MILITARY PERSONN	EL			
Amount Paid	\$48,635,789	\$51,610,949	\$40,613,351	Benefits Paid	\$967,142	\$737,214	\$655,302	
Benefit Weeks Paid	220,921	249,234	188,490	Benefit Weeks Claimed	2,840	2,583	2,233	
Average Weekly Benefit Amount	\$229	\$235	\$238	Initial Claims	392	229	202	
First Payments	12,742	13,835	11,350	Continued Weeks Claimed	3,557	2,478	2,182	
Final Payments	7,527	8,164	6,257	Appeals Decisions	6	13	8	
Average Weeks Duration	17	15	15					
Trust Fund Balance	\$193,908,528	\$389,318,076	\$358,818,458					

CONTINUED WEEKS CLAIMED — SEPTEMBER 2011



Statewide

ESTIMATED NONFAR	M EMPI				
Industry	November 2010	Revised October 2011	Preliminary November 2011	Net Cha Nov. 2010 Nov. 2011	nge Oct. 2011 Nov. 2011
Total Nonfarm	2,652.3	2,667.1	2,685.5	33.2	18.4
Total Private	2,213.3	2,222.1	2,239.0	25.7	16.9
Goods-Producing Mining, Logging, & Construction	406.9 109.9	417.0 114.3	417.5 115.1	10.6 5.2	0.5
Manufacturing	297.0	302.7	302.4	5.4	-0.3
Durable Goods Manufacturing	175.6	181.1	180.7	5.1	-0.4
Wood Product Manufacturing	10.7	10.5 10.4	10.5 10.2	-0.2 -1.0	0.0
Nonmetallic Mineral Product Manufacturing Primary Metal Manufacturing	11.2 8.9	9.4	9.4	0.5	-0.2 0.0
Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	33.0	34.7	34.7	1.7	0.0
Machinery Manufacturing	24.8	26.5	26.8	2.0	0.3
Computer & Electronic Product Manufacturing Electrical Equipment & Appliance Manufacturing	5.5 16.9	5.3 16.6	5.2 16.6	-0.3 -0.3	-0.1 0.0
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	40.3	44.0	43.8	3.5	-0.2
Furniture & Related Product Manufacturing	9.5	9.1	9.0	-0.5	-0.1
Miscellaneous Manufacturing Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	14.8 121.4	14.6 121.6	14.5 121.7	-0.3 0.3	-0.1 0.1
Textile Mills, Products, & Apparel	11.2	10.7	10.8	-0.4	0.1
Food Manufacturing	32.0	33.3	33.4	1.4	0.1
Beverage & Tobacco Product Manufacturing	5.0	5.1	5.1	0.1	0.0
Paper Manufacturing Printing & Related Support Activities	15.3 11.2	15.6 10.7	15.5 10.7	0.2 -0.5	-0.1 0.0
Chemical Manufacturing	25.3	25.2	25.3	0.0	0.1
Plastics & Rubber Products Manufacturing	19.7	19.1	19.1	-0.6	0.0
Plastics Product Manufacturing Rubber Product Manufacturing	10.6 9.1	11.1 8.0	11.1 8.0	0.5 -1.1	0.0
Service-Providing	2,245.4	2,250.1	2,268.0	22.6	17.9
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	566.0	553.0	562.2	-3.8	9.2
Wholesale Trade	117.8	117.7	116.3	-1.5	-1.4
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	58.9 42.0	60.0 41.5	59.7 40.4	0.8 -1.6	-0.3 -1.1
Wholesale Electronic Markets	16.9	16.2	16.2	-0.7	0.0
Retail Trade	313.6	300.0	308.9	-4.7	8.9
Motor Vehicle & Parts Dealers	38.0	37.2	37.0	-1.0	-0.2
Furniture & Home Furnishings Stores Building Material, Garden Equipment, & Supplies	8.3 24.5	7.8 23.9	7.9 23.7	-0.4 -0.8	0.1 -0.2
Food & Beverage Stores	50.7	50.7	51.1	0.4	0.4
Health & Personal Care Stores	23.1	22.2	22.2	-0.9	0.0
Gasoline Stations Clothing & Clothing Accessories Stores	21.2 27.4	19.8 25.9	19.6 28.4	-1.6 1.0	-0.2 2.5
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book, & Music Stores	11.9	10.4	11.5	-0.4	1.1
General Merchandise Stores	73.6	69.1	74.5	0.9	5.4
Miscellaneous Store Retailers	15.7	14.9	14.9	-0.8	0.0
Nonstore Retailers	8.5	7.7	7.8 137.0	-0.7 2.4	0.1 1.7
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities Utilities	134.6 3.4	135.3	3.3	-0.1	0.0
Transportation & Warehousing	131.2	132.0	133.7	2.5	1.7
Truck Transportation	55.2	53.2	54.0	-1.2	0.8
Information	44.8	43.4	43.4	-1.4	0.0
Financial Activities Finance & Insurance	137.5 105.9	138.8 106.1	139.2 106.3	1.7 0.4	0.4
Real Estate, Rental, & Leasing	31.6	32.7	32.9	1.3	0.2
Professional & Business Services	315.9	317.8	324.9	9.0	7.1
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	107.7	108.7	110.1	2.4	1.4
Management of Companies & Enterprises Administrative, Support, & Waste Management	27.4 180.8	28.6 180.5	28.9 185.9	1.5 5.1	0.3 5.4
Educational & Health Services	380.5	385.0	385.4	4.9	0.4
Educational Services	48.8	50.2	50.3	1.5	0.1
Health Care & Social Assistance	331.7	334.8	335.1	3.4	0.3
Ambulatory Health Care Services Hospitals	127.2 105.3	128.7 104.1	128.8 103.9	1.6 -1.4	0.1 -0.2
Nursing & Residential Care Facilities	56.5	59.8	60.3	3.8	0.5
Social Assistance	42.7	42.2	42.1	-0.6	-0.1
Leisure & Hospitality Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	261.1 26.8	265.3 28.8	264.5 27.0	3.4 0.2	-0.8 -1.8
Accommodation & Food Services	234.3	236.5	237.5	3.2	1.0
Accommodation	31.2	30.7	31.1	-0.1	0.4
Food Services & Drinking Places	203.1	205.8	206.4	3.3	0.6
Other Services Government	100.6 439.0	101.8 445.0	101.9 446.5	1.3 7.5	0.1 1.5
Federal Government	439.0 49.6	445.0 48.7	48.8	-0.8	0.1
State Government	100.6	101.5	101.4	0.8	-0.1
State Government Educational Services	52.8	52.4	52.3	-0.5	-0.1
Local Government Local Government Educational Services	288.8 151.6	294.8 162.4	296.3 163.9	7.5 12.3	1.5 1.5
Local Government Educational Services	191.0	102.4	100.9	14.3	1.0

NONFARM EMPLOYMENT AND LABOR FORCE IN TENNESSEE

Total nonfarm employment increased by 33,200 jobs from November 2010 to November 2011. This includes seasonal increases in local government educational services (up 12,300 jobs); professional/business services (up 9,000 jobs), which includes increases of 5,100 jobs in administrative/support/waste management and 2,400 jobs in professional/scientific/technical services; mining/logging/construction (up 5,200 jobs); transportation equipment manufacturing (up 3,500 jobs); health care/social assistance (up 3,400 jobs), which includes increases of 3,800 jobs in nursing/residential care facilities and 1,600 jobs in ambulatory health care services combined with a decline of 1,400 jobs in hospitals; food services/drinking places (up 3,300 jobs); transportation/warehousing (up 2,500 jobs); machinery manufacturing (up 2,000 jobs); and fabricated metal products and financial activities (both up 1,700 jobs). This was partially offset by decreases in retail trade (down 4,700 jobs), which includes declines of 1,600 jobs in gasoline stations and 1,000 jobs in motor vehicle/parts dealers; wholesale trade nondurable goods (down 1,600 jobs); and nonmetallic mineral products (down 1,000 jobs).

During November, nonfarm employment increased by 18,400 jobs. This included seasonal increases in retail trade (up 8,900 jobs), which includes increases of 5,400 jobs in general merchandise stores and 2,500 jobs in clothing/ clothing accessories stores; professional/business services (up 7,100 jobs), which includes an increase of 5,400 jobs in administrative/support/ waste management; transportation/warehousing (up 1,700 jobs); local government educational services (up 1,500 jobs); and accommodation/food services (up 1,000 jobs). This was offset by decreases in arts/entertainment/recreation (down 1,800 jobs); and wholesale trade (down 1,400 jobs), which includes a decrease of 1,100 jobs in wholesale trade nondurable goods.

Tennessee's seasonally adjusted estimated unemployment rate for November 2011 was 9.1 percent, down 0.4 percentage point from the revised October 2011 rate.

The United States unemployment rate was 8.6 percent in November 2011. In November 2010, the national unemployment rate was 9.8 percent, and the state's unemployment rate was 9.4 percent.

Across Tennessee, the unemployment rate decreased in 79 counties, increased in 12 counties, and remained the same in four counties. There were 54 counties with an unemployment rate less than 10 percent, and two counties had a rate at or above 15 percent. In November, the lowest rate occurred in Lincoln County at 5.6 percent, down 0.2 percentage point from the previous month. The highest rate was Scott County's 17.6 percent, down from 18.1 percent in October 2011.

Over the past 12 months, Fayette County had the greatest decrease in its unemployment rate (down 3.8 percentage points).

The data from all the nonfarm employment estimates tables include all full- and part-time nonfarm wage and salary employees who worked during or received pay for any part of the pay period that includes the 12th of the month. This is a count of jobs by place of work. Agricultural workers, proprietors, self-employed persons, workers in private households, and unpaid family workers are excluded. These numbers may not add due to rounding. Data is based on the 2010 benchmark.

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE

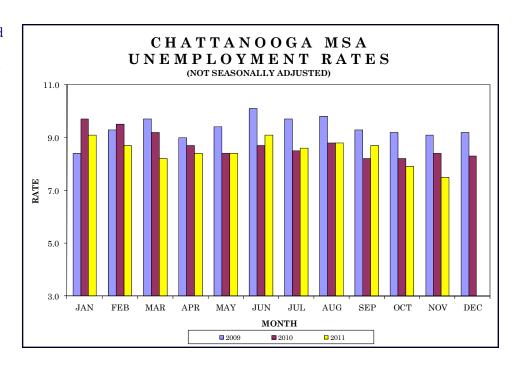
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE SUMMARY

		November	2010			October 20	011			November	2011	
	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Rate
Seasonally Ad	iusted											
U.S.		138,909,000	15,041,000	9.8	154,198,000	140,302,000	13,897,000	9.0	153.883.000	140,580,000	13,303,000	8.6
TENNESSEE	3,059,400	2,772,900	286,500	9.4	3,112,400	2,815,500	296,900	9.5	3,111,800	2,829,000	282,800	9.1
Not Seasonally	y Adjusted											
U.S.	153,698,000		14,282,000	9.3	154,088,000		13,102,000	8.5	153,683,000		12,613,000	8.2
TENNESSEE	3,067,600	2,783,300	284,300	9.3	3,124,800	2,847,900	276,900	8.9	3,118,800	2,856,400	262,500	8.4
Metropolitan S	260,250		91 740	0.1	264 070	244,110	20.870	7.0	962 400	949 990	10.670	7 5
Chattanooga Clarksville	115,370	238,500 103,970	21,740 $11,400$	8.4 9.9	264,970 115,480	104,580	20,870 $10,900$	$7.9 \\ 9.4$	263,490 116,050	243,830 105,590	19,670 $10,460$	$7.5 \\ 9.0$
Cleveland	55,050	49,990	5,060	9.2	55,420	50,570	4,850	8.8	54,830	50,230	4,600	8.4
Jackson	56,240	50,900	5,340	9.5	56,630	51,380	5,250	9.3	56,400	51,370	5,040	8.9
Johnson City	101,910	93,220	8,680	8.5	101,920	94,000	7,920	7.8	102,010	94,430	7,580	7.4
Kingsport	147,080 367,630	134,950 $340,250$	12,130 27,380	8.2 7.4	150,240 375,000	138,830 348,730	11,410 $26,270$	$7.6 \\ 7.0$	$149,650 \\ 374,040$	138,840 349,270	10,810 24,780	7.2 6.6
Knoxville Memphis	607,430	548,260	59,170	9.7	628,450	565,780	62,670	10.0	628,630	570,630	58,010	9.2
Morristown	64,060	57,130	6,930	10.8	64,450	57,830	6,630	10.3	64,200	57,720	6,480	10.1
Nashville	825,160	757,650	67,510	8.2	840,320	776,040	64,280	7.6	841,010	780,470	60,540	7.2
Micropolitan S	Statistical Are	as										
Athens	23,270	20,470	2,800	12.0	23,600	21,030	2,570	10.9	23,480	21,000	2,480	10.5
Brownsville Columbia	8,970 35,830	7,700 $30,860$	1,270 4,960	$14.2 \\ 13.9$	9,010 35,680	7,870 31,380	1,140 4,300	$12.7 \\ 12.1$	8,980 35,350	7,880 31,430	1,100 3,920	$12.2 \\ 11.1$
Cookeville	51,500	46,930	4,560	8.9	52,240	47,780	4,450	8.5	52,160	47,940	4,220	8.1
Crossville	22,890	20,570	2,320	10.1	23,560	21,390	2,170	9.2	23,390	21,240	2,150	9.2
Dyersburg Greeneville	16,800 29,620	14,620 26,130	2,180 3,490	13.0 11.8	17,450 $30,210$	15,210 $26,880$	2,240 3,330	12.8 11.0	17,230 29,820	15,110 $26,730$	2,130 3,090	$12.3 \\ 10.4$
Harriman	27,890	25,790	2,090	7.5	28,240	26,050	2,190	7.8	28,150	26,100	2,050	7.3
Humboldt	21,600	18,930	2,670	12.3	21,840	19,050	2,790	12.8	21,630	18,980	2,650	12.3
LaFollette Lawrenceburg	16,630 16,370	14,680 14,210	1,950 2,160	$11.7 \\ 13.2$	16,970 16,640	15,190 $14,650$	1,780 1,990	$10.5 \\ 12.0$	16,820 16,530	15,090 14,650	1,730 1,870	$10.3 \\ 11.3$
Lewisburg	12,270	10,350	1,920	15.7	12,230	10,630	1,610	13.1	12,120	10,580	1,550	12.8
Martin McMinnville	15,500	13,820	1,690	10.9	16,380	14,190	2,190	$13.4 \\ 10.4$	16,140	14,130	2,010	12.4
Newport	17,170 16,410	15,320 $14,340$	1,840 2,070	10.7 12.6	17,540 $16,290$	15,710 $14,330$	1,830 1,960	10.4 12.0	17,310 $16,250$	15,570 $14,260$	1,740 1,990	$10.0 \\ 12.2$
Paris	13,690	12,090	1,600	11.7	13,920	12,400	1,520	10.9	14,010	12,540	1,470	10.5
Sevierville Shelbyville	48,720 22,970	44,250 $20,410$	4,470 $2,560$	$9.2 \\ 11.1$	48,870 23,220	44,770 $20,950$	4,100 $2,270$	8.4 9.8	49,320 $23,110$	45,190 $20,970$	4,120 $2,140$	$8.4 \\ 9.2$
Tullahoma	48,390	43,620	4,770	9.9	48,920	44,500	4,420	9.0	48,670	44,430	4,240	8.7
Union City	17,740	15,970	1,770	10.0	18,170	15,340	2,830	15.6	18,140	15,400	2,740	15.1
Cities	27.74.0	20.480	2.000		20.240	24.200	2.040		20.000	24.422	1 000	
Bartlett Brentwood	25,510 17,890	23,450 $16,840$	2,060 1,050	8.1 5.8	26,240 18,300	24,200 $17,250$	2,040 1,050	$7.8 \\ 5.7$	26,360 18,340	24,430 17,350	1,930 990	$7.3 \\ 5.4$
Bristol	12,730	11,740	990	7.8	13,300	12,090	1,210	9.1	13,150	12,070	1,090	8.3
Chattanooga	79,860	72,890	6,970	8.7	81,650	74,590	7,060	8.6	80,940	74,260	6,680	8.2
Clarksville	54,220	48,990	5,230	9.6	55,020	49,730	5,290	9.6	55,300	50,140	5,160	9.3
Cleveland Collierville	19,180 19,580	17,350 $18,270$	1,820 1,310	$9.5 \\ 6.7$	19,330 20,570	17,550 $18,850$	1,780 1,720	9.2 8.4	19,060 20,410	17,440 $19,030$	1,630 1,380	$8.5 \\ 6.8$
Columbia	14,540	12,320	2,220	15.3	14,420	12,520	1,900	13.2	14,290	12,540	1,740	12.2
Cookeville	15,430	14,060	1,360	8.8	15,530	14,320	1,210	7.8	15,520	14,360	1,160	7.4
Franklin	32,600 14,060	30,400 $12,760$	2,200 1,290	6.8 9.2	33,300	31,130 13,070	2,170	$6.5 \\ 9.3$	33,230	31,310	1,920	5.8 8.7
Gallatin Germantown	20,630	19,360	1,290	6.2	14,410 $21,220$	19,980	1,340 1,240	5.8	14,400 21,300	13,150 $20,160$	1,250 1,140	5.4
Hendersonville	26,320	24,140	2,180	8.3	26,660	24,730	1,930	7.2	26,690	24,870	1,830	6.8
Jackson	30,280	27,170	3,120	10.3	30,640	27,430	3,210	10.5	30,450	27,420	3,030	10.0
Johnson City	33,130 19,280	30,530 $17,610$	2,610 1,660	7.9 8.6	33,300 19,700	30,780 18,130	2,520 1,570	7.6 8.0	33,240 19,650	30,930 18,100	2,320 1,550	$7.0 \\ 7.9$
Kingsport Knoxville	94,540	86,830	7,710	8.2	96,650	88,990	7,660	7.9	96,430	89,130	7,300	7.6
LaVergne	17,790	16,200	1,590	8.9	18,110	16,590	1,520	8.4	18,140	16,690	1,450	8.0
Lebanon	12,450	11,310	1,140	9.2	12,760	11590	1170	9.2	12,800	11,660	1,150	9.0
Maryville Momphis	13,190 302,990	12,110 $270,540$	1,080 32,450	$8.2 \\ 10.7$	13,350 312,960	12,410 $279,230$	940 33,730	7.0 10.8	13,340 313,650	12,430 281,800	900 31,850	6.8 10.2
Memphis Morristown	12,630	11,190	1,440	11.4	12,770	11,330	1,440	11.3	12,750	11,300	1,440	11.3
Murfreesboro	56,260	51,540	4,720	8.4	57,320	52,790	4,530	7.9	57,330	53,090	4,240	7.4
Nashville	333,090	304,940	28,150	8.4	338,790	312,340	26,450	7.8	338,870	314,130	24,740	7.3
Oak Ridge Smyrna	13,620 22,030	12,560 $20,050$	1,070 1,980	7.8 9.0	13,900 22,410	12,840 $20,540$	1,060 1,870	$7.7 \\ 8.3$	13,910 22,390	12,870 $20,660$	1,050 1,740	$7.5 \\ 7.8$
Spring Hill	13,680	12,500	1,180	8.6	13,990	12,770	1,220	8.7	13,940	12,820	1,120	8.0



Total nonfarm employment increased by 200 jobs from October 2011 to November 2011. Most of this growth was a seasonal increase in transportation/warehousing/utilities (up 200 jobs).

During the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increases by 900 jobs. During that time, goods-producing jobs decreased by 600, while service-providing jobs increased by 1,500.

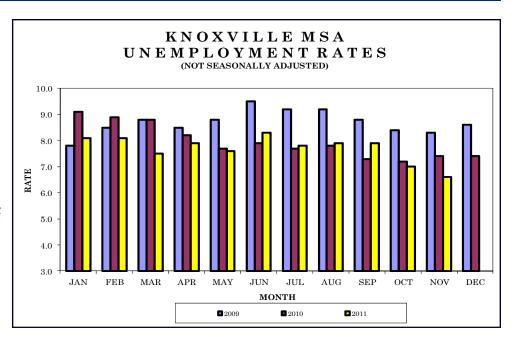


ESTIMATED NONFARM EMPLOYMENT (in thousands) Revised Preliminary Net Change Nov. 2010 Oct. 2011 Industry November October November 2010 2011 Nov. 2011 Nov. 2011 2011 Total Nonfarm 233.0 233.7 233.9 0.9 0.2 Total Private 196.5 196.4 196.6 0.1 0.2 Goods-Producing 37.4 36.6 36.8 -0.6 0.2 -0.2Mining, Logging, & Construction 9.2 8.9 9.0 0.1 Manufacturing 28.2 27.7 27.8 -0.40.1 **Durable Goods Manufacturing** 13.3 0.2 0.0 13.5 13.5 Nondurable Goods Manufacturing 14.9 14.2 14.3 -0.6 0.1 195.6 197.1 0.0 Service-Providing 197.1 1.5 Trade, Transportation, & Utilities 49.9 49.4 49.6 -0.30.2 Wholesale Trade 8.3 8.4 0.0 -0.18.3 Retail Trade -0.70.1 24.6 23.8 23.9 17.0 17.2 17.4 0.4 0.2 Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities 3.6 3.6 0.0 0.0 Information 3.6 Financial Activities -0.1 0.0 17.5 17.4 17.4 Professional & Business Services 22.1 21.3 21.2 -0.9-0.1**Educational & Health Services** 31.6 32.2 32.2 0.6 0.0 Leisure & Hospitality 23.4 25.0 24.9 1.5 -0.1Other Services 11.0 10.9 10.9 -0.10.0 36.5 Government 37.3 37.3 0.8 0.0 Federal Government 6.1 6.3 0.2 0.0 6.3 State Government 6.5 6.7 6.7 0.2 0.0 Local Government 23.9 24.3 24.3 0.4 0.0



Total nonfarm employment increased by 2,100 jobs from October 2011 to November 2011. There were seasonal increases in state government and retail trade (both up 700 jobs), professional/ business services (up 300 jobs), and durable goods manufacturing, mining/logging/construction, and transportation/warehousing/utilities (each up 200 jobs). This was partially offset by a decline in leisure/hospitality (down 200 jobs).

Over the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 2,500 jobs. During that time, goods-producing jobs increased by 1,600, while service-providing jobs increased by 900.

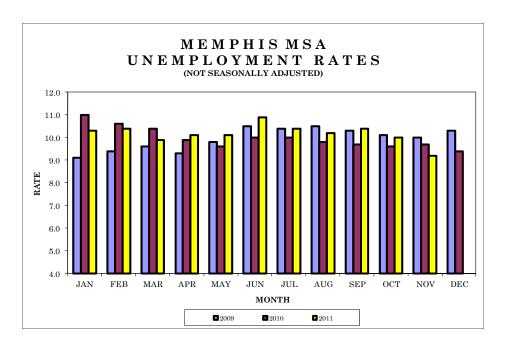


ESTIMATED NONFARM EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)								
Industry	November 2010	Revised October 2011	Preliminary November 2011	Net Nov. 2010 Nov. 2011	Change Oct. 2011 Nov. 2011			
Total Nonfarm	329.2	329.6	331.7	2.5	2.1			
Total Private	276.2	279.7	281.1	4.9	1.4			
Goods-Producing	46.1	47.3	47.7	1.6	0.4			
Mining, Logging, & Construction	16.7	17.8	18.0	1.3	0.2			
Manufacturing	29.4	29.5	29.7	0.3	0.2			
Durable Goods Manufacturing	21.9	22.1	22.3	0.4	0.2			
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	7.5	7.4	7.4	-0.1	0.0			
Service-Providing	283.1	282.3	284.0	0.9	1.7			
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	68.4	68.4	69.3	0.9	0.9			
Wholesale Trade	15.8	15.9	15.9	0.1	0.0			
Retail Trade	41.6	41.4	42.1	0.5	0.7			
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	11.0	11.1	11.3	0.3	0.2			
Information	5.4	5.4	5.3	-0.1	-0.1			
Financial Activities	16.7	16.6	16.6	-0.1	0.0			
Professional & Business Services	45.4	47.3	47.6	2.2	0.3			
Educational & Health Services	45.2	46.2	46.3	1.1	0.1			
Leisure & Hospitality	34.6	34.1	33.9	-0.7	-0.2			
Other Services	14.4	14.4	14.4	0.0	0.0			
Government	53.0	49.9	50.6	-2.4	0.7			
Federal Government	5.1	5.1	5.1	0.0	0.0			
State Government	18.0	16.5	17.2	-0.8	0.7			
Local Government	29.9	28.3	28.3	-1.6	0.0			

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Total nonfarm employment increased by 10,000 jobs from October 2011 to November 2011. There were seasonal increases in professional/business services (up 4,600 jobs), which includes an increase of 3,300 jobs in administrative/support/waste management; retail trade (up 3,800 jobs); educational/health services (up 1,000 jobs); transportation/warehousing/utilities (up 600 jobs); and leisure/hospitality, other services, and federal government (each up 400 jobs). This was partially offset by seasonal declines in wholesale trade (down 500 jobs), and mining/logging/construction and durable goods manufacturing (both down 300 jobs).

During the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 15,000 jobs. During that time, goods-producing jobs increased by 800, while service-providing jobs increased by 14,200.

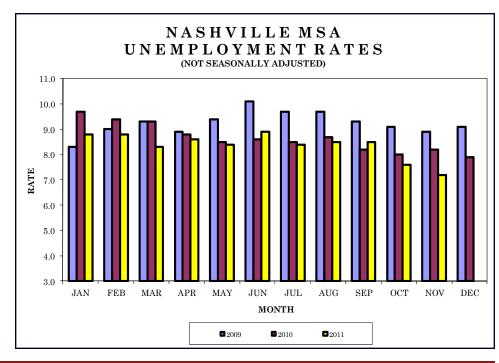


ESTIMATED NONFARM EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)

		Revised	Preliminary	Net	Change
Industry	November	October	November	Nov. 2010	Oct. 2011
	2010	2011	2011	Nov. 2011	Nov. 2011
Total Nonfarm	588.4	593.4	603.4	15.0	10.0
Total Private	501.2	506.6	516.2	15.0	9.6
Goods-Producing	63.6	65.0	64.4	0.8	-0.6
Mining, Logging, & Construction	19.7	21.2	20.9	1.2	-0.3
Manufacturing	43.9	43.8	43.5	-0.4	-0.3
Durable Goods Manufacturing	22.7	23.3	23.0	0.3	-0.3
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	21.2	20.5	20.5	-0.7	0.0
Service-Providing	524.8	528.4	539.0	14.2	10.6
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	157.4	158.4	162.3	4.9	3.9
Wholesale Trade	32.1	32.8	32.3	0.2	-0.5
Retail Trade	64.6	63.7	67.5	2.9	3.8
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	60.7	61.9	62.5	1.8	0.6
Information	6.4	6.2	6.1	-0.3	-0.1
Financial Activities	29.2	29.5	29.5	0.3	0.0
Professional & Business Services	78.6	79.6	84.2	5.6	4.6
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	18.3	18.4	19.6	1.3	1.2
Management of Companies & Enterprises	5.1	5.1	5.2	0.1	0.1
Administrative, Support, & Waste Management	55.2	56.1	59.4	4.2	3.3
Educational & Health Services	81.6	84.1	85.1	3.5	1.0
Leisure & Hospitality	60.4	59.7	60.1	-0.3	0.4
Other Services	24.0	24.1	24.5	0.5	0.4
Government	87.2	86.8	87.2	0.0	0.4
Federal Government	14.2	13.4	13.8	-0.4	0.4
State Government	14.0	13.7	13.6	-0.4	-0.1
Local Government	59.0	59.7	59.8	0.8	0.1

Total nonfarm employment increased by 7,100 jobs from October 2011 to November 2011. There were seasonal increases in retail trade (up 3,400 jobs); professional/ business services (up 1,500 jobs), which includes an increase of 900 jobs in administrative/support/waste management and 500 jobs in professional/scientific/technical services; durable goods manufacturing (up 600 jobs); leisure/hospitality and transportation/warehousing/utilities (both up 500 jobs); other services (up 400 jobs); state and local government (each up 300 jobs); and mining/logging/construction (up 200 jobs). This was partially offset by decreases in wholesale trade (down 400 jobs) and health care/social assistance (down 300 jobs).

During the past 12 months, nonfarm employment increased by 7,500 jobs. During that time, goods-producing jobs increased by 2,300, while service-providing jobs increased by 5,200.



ESTIMATED NONFARM EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)							
		Revised	Preliminary	Net	Change		
Industry	November	October	November	Nov. 2010	Oct. 2011		
	2010	2011	2011	Nov. 2011	Nov. 2011		
Total Nonfarm	749.8	750.2	757.3	7.5	7.1		
Total Private	639.8	641.8	648.3	8.5	6.5		
Goods-Producing	92.7	94.2	95.0	2.3	0.8		
Mining, Logging, & Construction	32.4	32.7	32.9	0.5	0.2		
Manufacturing	60.3	61.5	62.1	1.8	0.6		
Durable Goods Manufacturing	38.7	40.1	40.7	2.0	0.6		
Nondurable Goods Manufacturing	21.6	21.4	21.4	-0.2	0.0		
Service-Providing	657.1	656.0	662.3	5.2	6.3		
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	150.9	145.9	149.4	-1.5	3.5		
Wholesale Trade	35.8	35.2	34.8	-1.0	-0.4		
Retail Trade	85.7	82.8	86.2	0.5	3.4		
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	29.4	27.9	28.4	-1.0	0.5		
Information	19.5	18.2	18.2	-1.3	0.0		
Financial Activities	45.7	46.9	47.0	1.3	0.1		
Professional & Business Services	102.9	105.8	107.3	4.4	1.5		
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	39.0	40.1	40.6	1.6	0.5		
Management of Companies & Enterprises	11.0	12.0	12.1	1.1	0.1		
Administrative, Support, & Waste Management	52.9	53.7	54.6	1.7	0.9		
Educational & Health Services	120.7	121.4	121.1	0.4	-0.3		
Educational Services	22.7	22.3	22.3	-0.4	0.0		
Health Care & Social Assistance	98.0	99.1	98.8	0.8	-0.3		
Leisure & Hospitality	77.1	77.9	78.4	1.3	0.5		
Other Services	30.3	31.5	31.9	1.6	0.4		
Government	110.0	108.4	109.0	-1.0	0.6		
Federal Government	12.3	12.0	12.0	-0.3	0.0		
State Government	29.8	30.3	30.6	0.8	0.3		
Local Government	67.9	66.1	66.4	-1.5	0.3		

Nonfarm Employment (Smaller MSAs)

	Clarksville, 7	ΓN-KY MSA	Cleveland	, TN MSA	Jackson, TN MSA	
	Oct. 2011	Nov. 2011	Oct. 2011	Nov. 2011	Oct. 2011	Nov. 2011
	Revised	Prelim.	Revised	Prelim.	Revised	Prelim.
Total Nonfarm	83,800	84,300	39,000	38,800	57,700	57,800
Total Private	63,000	63,400	33,300	33,200	45,600	45,800
Goods-Producing	13,500	13,500	9,300	9,200	11,600	11,600
Mining, Logging, & Construction	3,400	3,400	1,300	1,300	2,700	2,700
Manufacturing	10,100	10,100	8,000	7,900	8,900	8,900
Service-Providing	70,300	70,800	29,700	29,600	46,100	46,200
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	14,900	15,200	6,300	6,400	11,400	11,500
Wholesale Trade	2,200	2,200	800	800	2,800	2,700
Retail Trade	10,500	10,800	4,400	4,500	7,000	7,200
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	2,200	2,200	1,100	1,100	1,600	1600
Information	800	800	300	300	500	500
Financial Activities	2,700	2,700	1,500	1,500	1,600	1,600
Professional & Business Services	8,300	8,500	3,300	3,400	4,400	4,500
Educational & Health Services	10,600	10,600	6,100	6,000	8,800	8,800
Leisure & Hospitality	9,000	8,900	4,200	4,100	5,400	5,400
Other Services	3,200	3,200	2,300	2,300	1,900	1,900
Government	20,800	20,900	5,700	5,600	12,100	12,000
Federal Government	6,900	7,000	300	300	500	500
State Government	3,400	3,300	700	600	1,900	1,900
Local Government	10,500	10,600	4,700	4,700	9,700	9,600

	Johnson Cit	y, TN MSA	Kingsport/Bristo	l, TN-VA MSA	Morristown, TN MSA	
	Oct. 2011	Nov. 2011	Oct. 2011	Nov. 2011	Oct. 2011	Nov. 2011
	Revised	Prelim.	Revised	Prelim.	Revised	Prelim.
Total Nonfarm	78,200	78,900	118,800	119,300	45,200	45,300
Total Private	61,400	62,000	102,800	103,200	38,400	38,400
Goods-Producing	10,000	10,000	27,900	28,000	12,300	12,300
Mining, Logging, & Construction	2,400	2,400	7,000	7,000	2,100	2,100
Manufacturing	7,600	7,600	20,900	21,000	10,200	10,200
Service-Providing	68,200	68,900	90,900	91,300	32,900	33,000
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	12,700	13,000	24,300	24,600	10,400	10,500
Wholesale Trade	2,200	2,200	5,100	5,100	1,900	1,900
Retail Trade	9,300	9,600	15,000	15,200	5,900	6,000
Transportation, Warehousing, & Utilities	1,200	1,200	4,200	4,300	2,600	2,600
Information	1,900	1,900	2,300	2,300	500	400
Financial Activities	4,300	4,400	4,500	4,500	1,200	1,200
Professional & Business Services	8,500	8,700	8,800	8,900	3,400	3,400
Educational & Health Services	13,400	13,400	19,100	19,100	5,500	5,500
Leisure & Hospitality	8,000	8,000	11,700	11,600	3,200	3,200
Other Services	2,600	2,600	4,200	4,200	1,900	1,900
Government	16,800	16,900	16,000	16,100	6,800	6,900
Federal Government	2,500	2,500	1,100	1,000	300	300
State Government	7,200	7,300	2,500	2,500	1,300	1,300
Local Government	7,100	7,100	12,400	12,600	5,200	5,300

Clarksville MSA is Montgomery County, Stewart County, Christian County, KY, & Trigg County, KY. Cleveland MSA is Bradley & Polk counties. Jackson MSA is Chester & Madison counties. Johnson City MSA is Carter, Unicoi, & Washington counties. Kingsport-Bristol MSA is Hawkins County, Sullivan County, Scott County, VA, Washington County, VA, & Bristol City, VA. Morristown MSA is Grainger, Hamblen, & Jefferson counties.

U.S. Consumer Price Index — November 2011									
	All U	rban Consu	ımers	Wage & Clerical Earners					
		Percen	t Change		Percent Change				
Group	Index	Yearly	Monthly	Index	Yearly	Monthly			
U.S. City Average									
All Items (1982-84=100)	226.230	3.4	-0.1	222.813	3.8	-0.1			
Food and beverages	230.656	4.4	-0.1	230.186	4.5	-0.1			
Housing	219.969	1.9	-0.1	216.723	2.0	-0.1			
Apparel	127.285	4.8	-0.2	126.764	5.1	-0.2			
Transportation	211.358	8.0	-0.4	212.119	8.8	-0.4			
Medical care	404.858	3.4	0.4	407.128	3.5	0.4			
South									
All Items (1982-84=100)	219.961	3.8	0.0	218.030	4.1	0.0			
Food and beverages	229.243	4.6	0.0	228.220	4.7	-0.1			
Housing	204.579	2.1	-0.1	204.296	2.2	-0.1			
Apparel	136.744	4.1	0.6	136.309	4.0	0.6			
Transportation	210.402	9.1	-0.3	210.286	10.1	-0.3			
Medical care	386.472	3.5	0.7	392.123	3.7	0.8			

HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS										
	AVERAG	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVG. HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS		
	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	Nov.	Oct.	Nov.	
	2010	2011	2011	2010	2011	2011	2010	2011	2011	
Manufacturing	\$633.98	\$690.48	\$701.73	\$15.81	\$16.80	\$16.95	40.1	41.1	41.4	
Durable Goods	\$663.20	\$744.35	\$757.91	\$16.58	\$17.85	\$17.96	40.0	41.7	42.2	
Non-Durable Goods	\$594.16	\$610.72	\$619.88	\$14.78	\$15.23	\$15.42	40.2	40.1	40.2	

**ALL EMPLOYEE HOURS AND EARNINGS										
	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVG. HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			
	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	
	2010	2011	2011	2010	2011	2011	2010	2011	2011	
Total Private	\$712.10	\$706.38	\$728.38	\$20.23	\$20.24	\$20.46	35.2	34.9	35.6	
Goods-Producing	\$905.72	\$854.85	\$858.64	\$21.72	\$20.85	\$20.74	41.7	41.0	41.4	
Mining, Logging, and Construction	\$777.49	\$789.36	\$802.97	\$20.30	\$20.24	\$20.38	38.3	39.0	39.4	
Manufacturing	\$954.17	\$880.73	\$880.71	\$22.19	\$21.07	\$20.87	43.0	41.8	42.2	
Private Service-Providing	\$667.60	\$674.02	\$697.00	\$19.81	\$20.06	\$20.38	33.7	33.6	34.2	
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	\$655.96	\$639.98	\$650.97	\$18.53	\$18.55	\$18.76	35.4	34.5	34.7	
Information	\$902.21	\$861.70	\$910.21	\$24.45	\$23.04	\$23.89	36.9	37.4	38.1	
Financial Activities	\$851.97	\$864.32	\$906.56	\$22.78	\$23.36	\$23.67	37.4	37.0	38.3	
Professional and Business Services	\$841.93	\$893.62	\$926.37	\$23.13	\$24.55	\$25.38	36.4	36.4	36.5	
Education and Health Services	\$737.55	\$740.09	\$751.75	\$22.35	\$21.64	\$21.54	33.0	34.2	34.9	
Leisure and Hospitality	\$296.96	\$305.62	\$328.99	\$11.51	\$11.80	\$12.14	25.8	25.9	27.1	
Other Services	\$552.78	\$556.18	\$620.59	\$16.60	\$17.49	\$18.47	33.3	31.8	33.6	

 $[\]boldsymbol{**}$ Data reflects a one-month lag.

